

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Large Entity)

Docket No.
17161

In Re Application Of: **Susumu Kawata**

Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
10/694,212	October 27, 2003	John P. Leubecker	23389	3739	3827

Invention: **ELECTRONIC ENDOSCOPE APPARATUS AND SIGNAL PROCESSING APPARATUS HAVING DETACHABLE OPTION SUBSTRATE**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of **April 13, 2007** in the above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

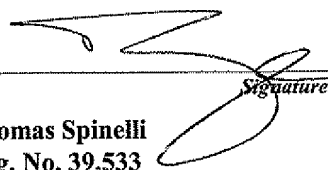
☐ One month ☐ Two months ☒ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months

from: **July 13, 2007** until: **October 13, 2007**
Date *Date*

The fee for the extension of time is **\$1,050** and is to be paid as follows:

- ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **19-1013/SSMP**
☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **19-1013/SSMP**
☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

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Dated: **October 12, 2007**

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